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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Edward C. Thayer, Philippa J. Webster
Serial No. : 09/922,488
Group Art Unit : 1644
Examiner : Nolan, Patrick J.
Filed : August 3, 2001
For : HUMAN SECRETED PROTEIN, ZZP1
Date Submitted : December 29, 2003

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2003 be extended for a period of five months from August 1, 2003 to January 1, 2004.

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$1,005, to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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